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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Vittorio Castelli, Joannes N. M. deJong, Lloyd A. Williams, and Harold M. AndersonFor: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR THE PREVENTION OF TRAILING EDGE DELETION IN IMAGE FORMING SYSTEMS

Enclosed are:

- ☐ This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application serial no. _____ filed on _____ entitled _____.
- ☒ 5 pages of specification, 3 pages of claims, 1 page of abstract.
- ☒ 2 sheets of drawings.
- ☒ Two executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney.
- ☒ Two executed assignments of the invention to Xerox Corporation. A recordation form cover sheet (Form PTO 1595) is also enclosed
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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